

## INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

**1 NAME**

HISTORIC

Erwincrest (Horace Winchester Farmhouse)

AND/OR COMMON

**2 LOCATION**

STREET &amp; NUMBER

east side of Old Annapolis Blvd, at the Rt. 301 access road.

CITY, TOWN

Winchester

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

VICINITY OF

STATE

COUNTY

Anne Arundel

**3 CLASSIFICATION****CATEGORY**

☐ DISTRICT  
☐ BUILDING(S)  
☐ STRUCTURE  
☐ SITE  
☐ OBJECT

**OWNERSHIP**

☐ PUBLIC  
☐ PRIVATE  
☐ BOTH

**PUBLIC ACQUISITION**

☐ IN PROCESS  
☐ BEING CONSIDERED

**STATUS**

☐ OCCUPIED  
☐ UNOCCUPIED  
☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

**ACCESSIBLE**

☐ YES: RESTRICTED  
☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED  
☐ NO

**PRESENT USE**

☐ AGRICULTURE  
☐ COMMERCIAL  
☐ EDUCATIONAL  
☐ ENTERTAINMENT  
☐ GOVERNMENT  
☐ INDUSTRIAL  
☐ MILITARY

☐ MUSEUM  
☐ PARK  
☐ PRIVATE RESIDENCE  
☐ RELIGIOUS  
☐ SCIENTIFIC  
☐ TRANSPORTATION  
☐ OTHER:

**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Carrie Fisher, Girda Vey

Telephone #:

STREET &amp; NUMBER

Rt. 2, Box 401

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

21401

**5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION**

COURTHOUSE,

REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Anne Arundel

Liber #: 487

Folio #: 55

STREET &amp; NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

Annapolis

STATE

**6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS**

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR  
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

**7 DESCRIPTION****CONDITION**

☐ EXCELLENT  
☐ GOOD  
☐ FAIR

☒ DETERIORATED  
☐ RUINS  
☐ UNEXPOSED

**CHECK ONE**

☐ UNALTERED  
☒ ALTERED

**CHECK ONE**

☒ ORIGINAL SITE  
☐ MOVED      DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE**

Erwincrest is abandoned and slated for demolition. The grounds around it have almost become part of the surrounding woods. Reached from a lane on the ~~west~~ side of Old Annapolis Rd, the house is very close to the intersection of Rt. 301/50. Although the original farm house dated from the late 18th century and a few of the remaining out buildings possibly do, the present house, a two story frame Arts and Crafts style building was built c. 1925. Attached to the house is a frame, one-and-a-half story wing which may have been built in the 19th century. It has a large brick, exterior chimney. Because the property is abandoned and in dismal condition, the surveyor didn't go inside the building. However it was ascertained that a formal box wood garden with a brick path was located to the north of the house.

La Nece Pope Lomonte, a student at the University of Maryland, visited the house in 1966 and was shown a picture of it before remodeling By the owner, Mrs Vey. The picture showed the house to have been a small cottage with a loft above it, having a center door with windows on either side and small dormers on the roof according to Mr. Lomonte. North of the house-between it and the dirt road leading to the garage- is a one story, shingled structure with a wood shingle roof. Inside the building is constructed of logs. Orlando Ridout IV says the house has many interesting Arts and Crafts detail, on the interior-hammered iron light fixtures and hardware, fireplace s of corbeled brick etc.

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**8 SIGNIFICANCE**

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES <sup>late</sup> 18<sup>th</sup>, 1925

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

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**9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES**

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**10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA**

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY \_\_\_\_\_

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

**11 FORM PREPARED BY**

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ORGANIZATION Anne Arundel Ct. Dept. of Planning and Zoning DATE \_\_\_\_\_

STREET & NUMBER Arundel Center TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

CITY OR TOWN Annapolis STATE \_\_\_\_\_

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust  
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle  
Annapolis, Maryland 21401  
(301) 267-1438

## OLD HORACE WINCHESTER FARM HOUSE

Carrie Fisher & Girda Vey (1966)  
Liber FAM 146 f 366  
19.58 acres  
Parcel 5, Map 46

House: A small kitchen ell with massive brick and plaster fireplace and 1/2 loft above are apparently all that remains of earlier frame farm house of c. 1790-1840. Attached to a shingle style 2 story bungalow style, circa 1925. Contains art objects and paintings of several decades c. 1920-40 of present owner and her daughter. Possibly entire earlier structure encased in shingle bungalow.

Environment: House occupies open lawn among wooded area. Acreage borders heavily traveled U.S. Rt. 301. Subject to commercial useage such as motel.  
Mattrex

Recommendations: Minimum 1.5 acres. House could be used as a motel - manager's residence or rented as dwelling with covenants.

SEE O. Ridout IV notes

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Kitchen wing

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